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## AROUND the TOWNSHIP

The Irvington school bond election cannot fail again.

A band of interested persons of the district yesterday announced formation of a citizens' committee who will make it their business to acquaint the voters of all angles of the situation and answer all questions as to why the new building is a necessity—and the alternative.

And, informed voters always vote right.

It's meetin' time again.

Fall activities will get underway with a bang over the township next week with resumption of more school sessions, more chambers of commerce and junior organizations.

The dog days are gone along with the summer doldrums and less than four months remain in which to wind up the affairs of 1938.

There's still a chance to make a good year out of it.

Now it's a Movie Quiz Contest.

Movie Quiz pictures are being shown at the Niles Theatre. It costs nothing to enter and you may be a winner. Whatever the result, it sounds like a lot of fun.

An exchange of dishes and cutlery at a mess hall of a Newark dairy brought two Swiss milkers into the Centerville Justice court but investigation of the incident caused Deputy District Attorney Joe Schenone to refuse to file a complaint.

Louis Betschart appeared with head bandaged stating Joe Furger threw a cup at him. Furger admitted same but said that he had been roused only after Betschart had thrown a plate, a knife and a fork at him. He didn't particularly mind the plate and the knife, he said, since they failed to hit him, but the fork—that was a different matter. It had prongs which could have done damage to a fellow's eyes if Betschart's aim had been better.

Sarafina Sales of Hendricks Court, Alvarado, although 82 years of age is still curious about the future and as a result lost \$10 to a traveling gypsy, according to a report to Deputy Sheriff Tom Silva.

The "lady in the polka dot dress" is alleged to have mysteriously extricated a \$10 bill from a knotted handkerchief and to have substituted a scrap of paper when she came to call on Mrs. Sales and "tell the future." Unfortunately, the money belonged to Mrs. Sales' daughter, who was away from home at the time.

"Better than average" is the report of Farm Advisor T. O. Morrison, regarding the sugar beet crop in Southern Alameda County. A recent survey of fields in the Alvarado and Centerville areas revealed that this year's crop will show gains in acreage as well as in production, Morrison said.

Heavy spring rains have aided production substantially. Approximately 6,000 acres of sugar beets have been planted this year and the average yield is expected to reach 13 tons to the acre.

## COUNTY FARMERS PLAN PICNIC

The annual picnic of the Alameda County Farm Bureau and the County Farm Home Department will be held on October 2, place to be announced later. Arrangements are being made by Paul Dougherty, president of the Washington-Eden Farm Center, Mrs. Walter Block of Livermore and Richard C. Kennedy of Hayward.

## INSTITUTE HOLDS ANNUAL PICNIC

MISSION SAN JOSE—The annual picnic of DeGuadalupe Institute of Y. L. I. was held recently at Linda Vista Park at Mission San Jose. The committee on arrangements consisted of Mrs. James Nunes, Mrs. Claremont Secada, Mrs. Lenora Silva, Mrs. Jessie Perry, Mrs. Arthur Nunes, Mrs. Adeline Santos and Mrs. M. S. Bettencourt.

## Legion Units Hold Joint Installation Ceremonies Tuesday

NILES — Impressive ceremonies and an address by Judge Allen G. Norris of Centerville on the need for present-day patriotism marked the joint installation of officers of the Washington Township Post of the American Legion, No. 195, the Auxiliary and the Sons of the Legion at the Veterans' Memorial Building Tuesday night.

Judge Norris urged the patriotic organizations to demonstrate the same patriotism today as was shown in 1917. He deplored the modern trend toward a decay of moral responsibility and the lack of personal responsibility toward the community, the State and the Nation, blaming this rather than the depression for the troublesome times of today.

"Persons who ask for relief when they don't deserve it, traffic offenders, criminals of all types, unfair employers and employees, drunken drivers who endanger the lives of others, are all examples of those who have no sense of personal responsibility to the community," said Judge Norris.

Following the installation, a social hour was observed and refreshments were served, more than 100 being present. Visitors included Ruth Mathebat, national Child Welfare chairman; Lois Wendland, retiring president of District No. 10; Josephine Foley, district president-elect; and Al Mathebat in command of the Alameda County Voiture No. 257, Forty-and-Eight.

The drill team of the Albany Auxiliary and members of the "Forty-and-Eight" assisted with the installation. An exhibition drill by the Sons of the Legion of the local post was given.

Newly-installed officers were to a certain extent, "a family affair." Joe Furtado was installed as commander of the legion post; his wife, Angie, as president of the Auxiliary; and their son, Verne, as an officer in the Sons of the Legion.

Those seated were Legion—Joe Furtado, commander; Art Cotton, first vice-commander; Harold Houghton, second vice-commander; Ray Peterson, sergeant at arms; Joe Corey, assistant; Frank Veit, adjutant; Manuel Swartz, chaplain; executive committee, Jack Vieux, Walter Martenstein and Matt Mathiesen; Manuel Brazil, junior past commander.

Auxiliary—Angie Furtado, president; Marion Zwissig, first vice-president; Nell Meyers, second vice-president; Theresa Swartz, secretary-treasurer; Marie Brazil, chaplain; Geneva Smith, historian; Lillian Tobin, sergeant at arms; Rose Vieux, marshal; Jessie Kommes, musician; executive committee, Lena Bertolotti, Violet Manley and Lillian Butterfield; junior past president, Marie Duarte.

Sons of the Legion—Roy Duarte, captain; Rudolph Brazil, first lieutenant; Jack Dutra, second lieutenant; Herbert Perry, sergeant-at-arms; Verne Furtado, assistant; George Smith, chaplain; Philip Brazil, adjutant; Robert Amaral, historian; Junior past captain, Tom McWhirter.

Gifts were presented to Berna Morton, Marie Duarte, Rose Vieux; Manuel Brazil and Tom McWhirter.

**FINED FOR VAGRANCY**  
NILES — Josephine Catherine Martinez paid a fine of \$25 on a charge of vagrancy after she had pleaded guilty before Judge J. A. Silva at the Niles Justice Court Friday. She was arrested at Mt. Eden by Deputy Sheriff

## Newark Miss Will Be Bride Of Tracy Man Sunday Noon

CENTERVILLE — Miss Madeleine Loretta Faria of Newark will become the bride of Manuel Martin of Tracy at a ceremony to be performed at the Holy Ghost Church Sunday afternoon at one o'clock.

Miss Minnie Soares of Altamont will be maid of honor and Joe Martin, brother of the groom, will be best man. A reception will follow at Parish Hall.

The bride is a graduate of the Alviso Grammar School and the Washington Union High School with the class of '34. She is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Manuel S. Faria of Newark and the granddaughter of Mrs. Rose Faria of Newark and Mrs. Joe Foote of Niles.

The groom is the son of Mrs. Mary Martin of Tracy and the late George Martin. He is a graduate of the Tracy Grammar and High Schools. The couple will reside in Tracy after a honeymoon in the South. Mr. Martin is employed at the DeSalles Brothers Dairy at Tracy.

## SHRINERS GATHER FOR PICNIC

MISSION SAN JOSE — Shriners from Livermore, Pleasanton, Niles, Hayward and all Southern Alameda County points were in attendance at the twenty-fifth annual picnic of the Mystic Shrine at Mission San Jose, Sunday, August 28. The affair is sponsored by Aahmes Temple, Oakland.

Potentate Kenneth C. Gillis announces a program of athletic events, swimming and dancing. Basket lunches will be served. Bob Abernethy, Shrine Recorder announces that some three thousand guests attended. Jack Block heads the arrangements committee.

## ESCAPES INJURY IN ACCIDENT

NILES — Serafin Lucas of Niles escaped injury when his car suffered a collision with one driven by James Moody of Berkeley at the intersection of the Niles Canyon road and the main highway.

Moody's car was registered to W. G. Avery of San Francisco. Lucas was making a left turn toward Niles when the other car is alleged to have sideswiped him. Both cars were slightly damaged.

## AUTHORITY ASKED TO CLOSE OUT SAN JOAQUIN STOCK

In applications filed with the State Railroad Commission, the Pacific Gas and Electric Company asks authority to offer its own preferred stock in exchange for the remaining outstanding preferred shares of the San Joaquin Light and Power Corporation.

This offer constitutes a preliminary step toward winding up the corporate affairs of the San Joaquin Corporation and the Midland Counties Public Service Corporation. The physical operations of these companies have for several years been integrated with those of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company, which owns approximately 90% of their stock.

"The proposed dissolution of the San Joaquin and Midland Companies," said A. E. Wishon, president of both these utilities and a vice president of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company, "is chiefly a matter of legal and financial significance, and will in no way affect their present personnel, operating methods, or local purchasing policy."

"General headquarters will be maintained in Fresno, with all operating departments manned and functioning as at present, and with the general offices in that city supervising the various geographical operating units. These comprise Merced, Los Banos, Madera, Fresno, Selma, Dinuba, Corcoran, Bakersfield and Taft districts of the San Joaquin Company, and the Coalinga, San Luis Obispo and Santa Maria districts of the Midland Counties Company."

## NO OPPOSITION FOR COMMISSIONERS

IRVINGTON—No opposition has been announced for the election of board members of the Irvington Sanitary District on Sept. 19. Incumbents who are candidates for re-election are Frank Leal, Dr. J. H. Durham and Frank H. Cope-land, assessor.

Other members of the board are Tom Power, Bob Wright and O. N. Hirsch. Polls will be open from 7 a. m. to 7 p. m. at the Leal theatre building, according to Power.

## Announce Yearly Canvass For Scout Maintinance Fund

CENTERVILLE — The annual financial campaign for the Boy Scouts of Washington Township will begin Sept. 19, and continue for 10 days. Every resident of the district is asked to contribute toward the \$650 quota for the township. In the past approximately 600 have assisted, contributions ranging all the way from \$1 to \$100, several giving larger sums.

The quota for the division including Hayward, Livermore and Pleasanton is \$4,000. Other districts are finishing their campaign this month.

Present at the meeting at the Justice Court Wednesday night were District Chairman Allen G. Norris, District Treasurer George Holmes, Field Executive W. T. Lindsey, George Scamman of Irvington, Harvey Braun, Lewis Lewis and Lawrence Sharpe of Niles.

Names of community committee-men will be announced later.

## Interference With School Bus Brings Justice Court Fine

CENTERVILLE — Joseph Mathews, 21, of 792 McAllister st., San Francisco, after an admitted effort to "show off" before students riding in a Washington Union High School bus, pleaded guilty to "cutting in" and was fined \$5 at the Centerville Justice Court.

Principal A. J. Rathbone in asking H. E. DeLeon, bus driver, to sign a complaint against Mathews, pointed out that there would be no tolerance of persons interfering in any way with the safety of children being transferred in school buses.

"We have never had a serious accident, never one which could be laid to the fault of our bus drivers, and we don't want any," said Principal Rathbone.

Mathews was arrested by Highway Patrolman Duffey Lewis and Deputy Sheriff Tom Silva after they had been asked to investigate following report to Judge Allen G. Norris of the alleged actions of Mathews.

## REGULAR CLASSES AFTER VACATION

NILES—Regular classes at the Niles Congregational Sunday School were begun Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, following a vacation program in which all pupils have assembled together. Mrs. Hoyt Duffie, superintendent, had called a meeting of teachers at her home at 7 o'clock Friday to discuss plans.

Teachers include Mrs. Duffie, Miss Martha Crane, Mrs. George Sladek, Mrs. C. H. Franklin, Mrs. E. C. Dawson, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Bowman, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Offel.

## YOUTHFUL PAIR HAD "TOO MUCH VINO"

DECOTO — Nash Valdez and Philip Godina, both 19, of Decoto, pleaded guilty to drunk charges before Judge J. A. Silva at the Niles Justice Court Monday Morning. They admitted they knew they had had too much "vino" when they left home for a Hayward theatre.

Valdez was charged with drunk driving and sentenced to 30 days in the county jail in lieu of a \$90 fine. Godina, his passenger, was sentenced to four days in jail in lieu of \$20 in fine on a charge of being drunk in a car.

## Bond Proposition For School Building Again Up To Voters

IRVINGTON—Following a mass meeting of citizens at the Irvington Grammar School last Thursday night, the board of trustees have called another election to be held on Tuesday, Sept. 27. The amount asked in the previous bond election which failed to carry by only 23 votes has been reduced to \$42,000, which amount is to be increased by the \$34,000 PWA grant recently received.

The consensus of opinion at the mass meeting seemed to be that it would be foolish to repair the present building due to its condition, that the minimum "guess" as to cost was \$16,000 and might more than double that, that it was expedient to try to keep the \$34,000 federal grant and that something must be done if the school is to remain open.

A communication from the Attorney General instructed the trustees that unless something could be done regarding the building which they considered unsafe, the school would have to be closed.

Wayne Day was chosen chairman of the meeting. Speakers included J. L. Bunker, of the county superintendent's office, who suggested that a smaller building than that originally planned, even if the auditorium had to be left out, was preferable to the present building and that the chief concern of the community should be the "safety" of the children.

D. C. Willett of the State Architect's office at Sacramento repeated his report that the building was unsafe. He said the foundation had been seriously damaged by termites and wood-rot, that the outer walls had rotted, that the roof sagged and that the State would refuse to o. k. any plans for repair unless the entire building was gone over thoroughly and that all repairs would have to come up to the same standard of new buildings. He said that nobody could estimate the cost of repairs until the entire building had been gone into. He placed \$16,000 as a minimum with the probability that the cost would be much more.

George E. Ellinger, Oakland architect, who was also present, told of plans that had been drawn by him two years ago at the request of the board. He said that if the district voted the \$42,000 bond issue and supplemented it by the \$34,000 government grant, a good building could be constructed but that he did not believe an auditorium could be included at that figure.

Both Ellinger and Willett, as well as Bunker, said they had no desire to influence the vote of the taxpayers and were present by invitation of the board to give an honest opinion of the condition of the school, and what might be done to improve the situation.

Don Driscoll said that he had voted against the other bond issue and that he thought, after talking to several others, that it had failed because the public did not understand the situation and did not think an \$86,000 school necessary in Irvington at a time when money was scarce. He said he thought a smaller bond issue would carry if the situation was thoroughly explained to the taxpayers.

Trustees pointed out that this year's tax would be less because of payment of sewer, fire and water bonds and that even with the addition of a tax for a new school, the total tax for 1939 would be less than for 1938.

## RECEPTION FOR NEW TEACHERS

CENTERVILLE — New teachers at Washington Union High School were given a dinner and reception at the school Tuesday night. Arrangements were made by Misses Sibyl Botelho and Evelyn Wilson with Mrs. Josephine Morris in charge of the dinner which was cooked by the Home Economics Department and served by Senior students.

Board members and their wives had been invited to be present. New teachers are Miss Jane Nold, John Brady and Jack Clevenger.

## RAINBOW GIRLS RECEIVE OFFICIAL

CENTERVILLE—Rainbow Girls of the township will join with Unity Assembly of Oakland for the official visit of the grand worthy advisor, Eleanor Reedy of Sacramento, at an affair to be given at Centerville on Sept. 19.

A program of entertainment will be followed with refreshments. Worthy Advisor Joan Boyd will have general charge of arrangements.

## Clubs To Observe Football Night At Joint Stag Affair

CENTERVILLE—Football night will be observed at a joint meeting of the Centerville Lions Club and the Niles Rotary Club next Tuesday night in the gymnasium of the Washington Union High School. Dinner will be served at 6:45 o'clock. Tony Enos is chairman of the evening and Jack Greeley, program chairman.

Coaches from Santa Clara, St. Mary's, U. C., Stanford, San Jose State College and the high schools at Centerville, Livermore, Pleasanton and Hayward will be interviewed by sports writers. There will be plenty of college songs, an orchestra and other entertainment. It is to be a stag affair.

The Rotarians will be guests of the Centerville Lions Club with President Loren Marriott of the Lions presiding.

## Extend Course In Music To Grammar Grades Of Township

CENTERVILLE — Inauguration of a 12-year music course in the public schools of Washington Township is noted in the announcement by three grammar school districts that they have engaged Dwight Thornburg, high school music instructor, to take charge of their instrumental classes.

Mr. Thornburg will continue his classes at the high school during the morning hours and will teach at Alvarado, Irvington and Alviso during the afternoons. In this way, students will receive the fundamentals of instrumental work in the grammar grades and will be much more able to carry on in the high school band and orchestra.

Principal A. J. Rathbone of the high school faculty, states that this is the first step toward a more adequate music program for the community. He has also expressed his endorsement of the organization of the Southern Alameda County Music Association organized by John Kimber, former music teacher at the high school and designed to offer terminal groups for those who graduate from the schools in orchestra, band or chorus. Numerous teachers and students of the local high school have already signed as members of the association.

## MARKET BOYS ENJOY PARK

MISSION SAN JOSE — Seven thousand members and friends of the West of Market Boys' Club of Oakland held their annual picnic at Linda Vista Park recently. Numerous political candidates were introduced over the loudspeaker by Gerald Lawler, master of ceremonies. Supervisor Cliff Wixson was general chairman.

A special contingent of officers from the State Highway Patrol and the sheriff's office were on duty to assist with traffic.

## SANITARY DISTRICT WILL ELECT TWO

CENTERVILLE — Election of two members for the board of the Sanitary District will be held on Monday, Sept. 19, George T. Emerson and M. J. Bernardo, incumbents, are up for re-election.

The district comprises the towns of Centerville and Newark and outlying sections. Balloting will take place in the Justice Court in Centerville and the Caldera Building in Newark. Polls will be open from 12 noon to 7 p. m.

## Start Construction In Five Weeks On New Niles School

NILES—With the advertising for bids on the new \$178,000 grammar school at Niles this week, operations on actual construction are expected to start about October 15 and the building will be completed in time for opening in September, 1939. Final o. k.'s came from the District Attorney's office and the PWA from which a \$78,000 grant was received, this week.

Bids will be opened on Sept. 28 for the building, to be constructed at the present site, facing Second Street across from the Veterans' Memorial Building.

The structure is to be of Spanish architecture with re-inforced concrete walls and tile roof. The floors will be maple and the halls covered with linoleum. The building will be E-shaped with the auditorium in the center and separated from the two wings by patios.

The present annex which has housed the primary grades will be used for manual training and domestic science. The basement will contain the boiler room and storage space.

The auditorium will seat 450 and the stage which is to be fully equipped will measure 52 by 26. Behind the stage are two dressing rooms, property room and lavatories.

There will be 10 class rooms. The primary rooms are being built upon the most modern lines and each classroom will have an activity alcove providing facilities for crafts and projects.

In addition to the class rooms there will be a teachers' room, school nurse's room, girls' rest room, library, office and store room.

John Donovan who designed the Oakland city hall and the Santa Clara College in addition to numerous other public buildings and schools in this section, is the architect.

## MY THANKS

To the Voters of Washington Township:

I wish to take this opportunity to voice my extreme gratification for the large vote cast for me at the primary election last week although I was unopposed for re-election. I also wish to express my sincere thanks and appreciation for the splendid cooperation and support which has been given me throughout the district since I assumed office.

I want to assure residents of the district that I shall make every effort to continue serving your best interests to the utmost of my ability and I hope to warrant a continuation of the confidence and trust you have placed in me.

Sincerely,  
Supervisor Geo. P. Hellwig

## FARM WOMEN ENJOY PICNIC

A picnic was given by the members of the Alvarado Home Department recently at the Hayward Memorial Park. Many members attended and had a good time.

A delicious lunch was served, which was prepared by Mrs. Rodrigues and Mrs. Rose, members of the committee. Many games were played and Mrs. Perry and Mrs. Williams had charge of the arranging of the games and prizes.

The next meeting will be held in September at the home of Mrs. George of Centerville.

## BIRTHDAY CLUB PLANS FALL EVENTS

CENTERVILLE—The first fall meeting of the Birthday Club of Centerville was held at Castlewood Country Club on Wednesday, August 31. Mrs. Howard Chadbourne and Mrs. Belle Chadbourne were hostesses and Mrs. Garrett Norris and Miss Elizabeth Dusterberry were honor guests.

Others attending were Mrs. George Coit, Mrs. Frank T. Dusterberry, Mrs. George Emerson, Mrs. W. L. McWhirter, Mrs. George Lowrie, Mrs. Eric Bergstrom, Mrs. Howard White and Mrs. Maude Sneden.



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### Irvington Items

#### LARGE GROUP AT PARTY

A large number of people attended a party given by Angie Maciel and Evelyn Corriea here on Saturday evening.

#### SHOWER HONORS BRIDE-TO-BE

At their last meeting on Friday, September 2, the Betsy Ross Parlor of Native Daughters of the Golden West gave a miscellaneous shower in honor of Miss Evelyn Bettencourt, who is to be married this month. Many lovely gifts were received.

Mrs. Pearl Dargitz was also honored as a recent bride and was presented a table lamp from the parlor.

#### FISHING TRIP TO ANTIOCH

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Castelano, Ben Mozzetti, Jr., Bob Berri and Caesar Bossatti enjoyed a fishing trip to Antioch on Monday.

#### YOUNG COUPLE WILL WED SOON

Miss Evelyn Bettencourt and Joseph George, both of Irvington, have named their wedding date, September 25. They are to be married at 7 p. m. at the St. Joseph's Church in Mission San Jose.

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eph's Church in Mission San Jose. The reception is to be held immediately following at the I. D. E. S. Hall in Mission San Jose. Friends are invited to attend.

#### SPEND HOLIDAYS AT BEACH

Mr. and Mrs. Domingo Silva family spent the holidays in Santa Cruz.

#### PLEASANT MOTOR TRIP TO COAST

Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Marshall, Miss Ann Marshall and Manuel Marshall, Jr. motored to Monterey and Carmel and spent several days. On their return trip they stopped in Santa Cruz where they stayed a day.

#### SPEND SUNDAY AT PARK

Johnny Rose and Chris Gomes spent Sunday at Alum Rock.

#### WEEK END IN SAN JOSE

Misses Evelyn and Rose Marshall spent the week end in San Jose.

#### TURLOCK VISITORS HERE MONDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Garcia and daughter, Lorraine, of Turlock visited here on Monday.

#### FAMILY DINNER ON SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Will Benbow entertained a number of relatives at a dinner on Sunday.

#### VISITORS AT FAIR SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Garcia attended the Sacramento Fair on Sunday.

#### PRESENT AT PORTUGUESE BENEFIT

Mrs. Mary Nunes and daughters, Alberta, Rose and Patsy, attended the Portuguese benefit entertainment at the civic auditorium on Sunday evening.

#### ENJOY HOLIDAYS AT LAKE

Mr. and Mrs. William Trinit and daughter, Margaret, and Bill Humphert spent the two-day holiday at Clear Lake.

#### SKATING PARTY SATURDAY

The skating rink has a newly sanded floor and will hold a party on Saturday evening. Hot dogs and coffee will be served to the skaters.

#### SUNDAY MOTOR TRIP ENJOYED

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Joseph motored to Rio Nido on Sunday.

#### SPEND DAY AT STATE FAIR

Mr. and Mrs. William Dargitz and family, Edwin Dargitz and mother attended the Sacramento State Fair on Monday.

#### ENROLLS AT SAN JOSE

Jimmy Robinson is attending the Bellarmine High School in San Jose.

#### BENCH WARRANT FOR WINE MAN

NILES—A bench warrant was issued for Frank Cardinal, formerly operator of a winery at Mission San Jose after he failed to appear before Judge J. A. Silva at the Niles Justice Court for sentence.

He was found guilty of violation of the state wage law and was charged with failure to pay \$113 to two laborers. Numerous continuances of the case have been granted since it was filed in July, 1937.

#### MOTORCYCLE AND AUTO COLLIDE

NILES—Evans Wilbur Dutot, 27, of 1205 Benton st., Alameda, was treated at the Hayward hospital for cuts on the face after his motorcycle struck a car being driven by Frank John Bua, 26, of 2919 Magnolia st., Oakland, on the Decoto-Niles highway Sunday afternoon.

#### NOTICE TO BIDDERS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Trustees of the Niles School District of Alameda County, hereby calls for sealed proposals to be delivered to the Clerk of said Board at the office of said Board at the Niles School Building, Niles, California, until Wednesday, the 28th day of September 1938, at 8:00 o'clock p. m. at which time and place said bids will be opened in public and read aloud for the furnishing of all labor, materials mechanical workmanship, transportation and services to be used in the erection and completion of a new Niles School Building including the demolition of the existing old Niles School Building to be located on the grounds of the present Niles School Building at the N. E. corner of 2nd and School Streets, Niles, California, for the Niles School District of Alameda County.

These bids shall be presented in accordance with the plans and specifications for said work which are on file at the office of the Board of Trustees of the Niles School District at the Niles School Building, Niles, California, and at the office of the Architect herein-after mentioned.

On deposit of Twenty-five (\$25.00) dollars said plans and specifications may be had by any prospective bidder for the work above listed on application to the said Board of Trustees at its office

hereinabove mentioned, or at the office of the Architect, JOHN J. DONOVAN, 950 Parker Street, Berkeley, California, and in each case shall be returned not later than forty-eight (48) hours after the time fixed for the opening of the bids.

If the plans and specifications are not returned to the office of the Board of Trustees, or to the office of the Architect, within the time above specified or are returned in a mutilated or damaged condition, the said deposit shall be retained by said Niles School District as agreed and liquidated damages for said mutilation or detention and will be immediately used for the purchase of a new set of plans and specifications.

Bidders are hereby notified that pursuant to the Statutes of the State of California, the Board of Trustees of the Niles School District of Alameda County, California, has ascertained the general prevailing rate of per diem wages and rates for legal holiday and overtime work in the locality in which this work is to be performed for each craft or type of workman or mechanic needed to execute the contract which will be awarded the successful bidder, and that these prevailing rates are contained in said specifications adopted by the Board of Trustees of the Niles School District of Alameda County on August 5, 1938, and filed with the Clerk of the said Board are as follows:

#### Crafts or Types of Workmen:

	Scale Per Hr.	Scale Per Day
Asbestos Workers (8 hours)	\$1.25	\$10.00
Asphalt Mechanical Finish Operator (8 hours)	1.50	12.00
Boiler Makers (8 hours)	1.50	12.00
Boiler Makers—Helpers (8 hours)	1.37½	11.00
Boiler Makers—Welders (8 hours)	1.50	12.00
Holder-on and Heaters (8 hours)	1.37½	11.00
Bricklayers (6 hours)	1.75	10.50
Bricklayers (6 hours) Hodcarriers	1.35	8.10
Blade Grader Operator—finish work (8 hours)	1.50	12.00
Cabinet Workers—outside (8 hours)	1.25	10.00
Carpet & Linoleum Layers (8 hours)	1.25	10.00
Carpenters (8 hours)	1.25	10.00
Concrete Mixer Operator (8 hours)	1.50	12.00
Cement Finishers (8 hours)	1.25	10.00
Cement Finishers—Foreman (8 hours)	1.37½	11.00
Dragline Engineers (8 hours)	1.66%	13.33
Electrical Workers (8 hours)	1.37½	11.00
Electrical Workers—Helpers (8 hours)	.75	6.00
Electrical Fixture Hangers (8 hours)	1.37½	11.00
Elevator Constructors (8 hours)	1.40	11.20
Engineer—Compressor (8 hours)	1.25	10.00
Engineer—Hoisting on Building (8 hours)	1.37½	11.00
Engineer—Structural or Steel Erection (8 hours)	1.66%	13.33
Firemen (8 hours)	1.16%	9.33
Furniture Handlers (8 hours)	.82½	6.60
Gas Appliance & Stove Fitters (8 hours)	1.00	8.00
Glaziers (8 hours)	1.21	9.68
Grader Operator, towing or motor, rough work (8 hours)	1.50	12.00
Hardwood Floormen (8 hours)	1.25	10.00
Ironworkers, Structural and Bridge (8 hours)	1.50	12.00
Ironworkers, Welders (8 hours)	1.50	12.00
Ironworkers, Structural (8 hours)	1.50	12.00
Ironworkers, all Rigging (8 hours)	1.50	12.00
Ironworkers, Housesmiths, Arch. Iron (8 hours)	1.25	10.00
Ironworkers, Housesmiths, rein. concrete or rodmen (8 hours)	1.25	10.00
Ironworkers, ornamental inside (8 hours)	1.12½	9.00
Ironworkers, ornamental outside (8 hours)	1.25	10.00
Laborers		
Asphalt and any hot-stuff rakers and ironers	1.10	8.80
Asphalt and any hot-stuff shovelers (8 hours)	.85	6.80
Building Laborers (8 hours)	.75	6.00
Cribbers (8 hours)	1.10	8.80
Concrete Workers (wet and dry) (8 hours)	.80	6.40
Concrete or form strippers (8 hours)	.80	6.40
General Laborers (8 hours)	.75	6.00
Gardeners (8 hours)	.75-1.00	6.00
Headerboard men (8 hours)	.80	6.40
House Movers (8 hours)	1.00-1.25	
Jackhammer operators (and handlers of pneumatic tools) under 50 lbs. (8 hours)	.85	6.80
Jackhammer operators (and handlers of pneumatic tools) over 50 lbs. (8 hours)	.90	7.20
Guards (8 hours)	.75	6.00
Flagmen (8 hours)	.75	6.00
Truck laborers (8 hours)	.75	6.00
Vibrators under 2½ inch dimension (8 hours)	.85	6.80
Vibrators over 2½ inch dimension (8 hours)	.90	7.20
Watchmen (8 hours)	.75	6.00
Blasters and powder men (8 hours)	1.10	8.80
Sheeting, lagging, timbermen, cribbing, bracing and propping (8 hours)	1.10	8.80
Vitrified and concrete pipe laying laborers (8 hrs.)	1.10	8.80
Sewer (8 hours)	.80	6.40
Lathers (6 hours)	1.60	9.60
Lumber Handlers (8 hours)	.75	6.00
Lumber Clerks (8 hours)	.90	7.20
Marble Setters (8 hours)		
Carvers	1.31½	10.50
Cutters	1.12½	9.00
Polishers	.87½	7.00
Setters' Helpers	.81½	6.50
Mechanic—General Repairman (8 hours)	1.25	10.00
General Mechanic and Combination Welder (8 hrs.)	1.35	10.80
Apprentice—1st year (8 hours)	.85	6.80
Apprentice—2nd year (8 hours)	1.00	8.00
Apprentice—3rd year (8 hours)	1.25	10.00
Modelers (6 hours)	2.00	12.00
Model Makers (6 hours)	1.25	7.50
Mosaic and Terrazo (8 hours)	1.25	10.00
Mosaic and Terrazo—Helpers (8 hours)	.75	6.00
Millmen, sash and door (8 hours)	1.00	8.00
Millmen, planing mill dept. (8 hours)	1.00	8.00
Oilers and Firemen (8 hours)	1.16%	9.33
Painters (7 hours)	1.25	8.25
Painters—Spraymen (7 hours)	1.53 4/7	10.75
Painters—Structural Steel (7 hours)	1.53 4/7	10.75
Plasterers (6 hours)	1.60	9.60
Plasterers (6 hours) Hodcarriers subject to change	1.45	8.70
Plumbers (8 hours)	1.37½	11.00
Plumbers—Helpers (8 hours)	.75	6.00
Roller Operators—(8 hours)	1.50	12.00

Roofers (8 hours)	1.25	10.00
Sheet Metal Workers (8 hours)	1.25	10.00
Sheet Metal Workers—Helpers (8 hours)	.75	6.00
Shovel Operators (8 hours)	1.66%	13.33
Sign Painters (8 hours)	1.50	12.00
Sign Painters—Helpers (8 hours)	1.21 3/7	9.71
Shovel Cranesmen (6 hours)	1.41%	8.50
Shovel Firemen (6 hours)	1.16%	7.00
Shovel Oilers (6 hours)	1.16%	7.00
Steamfitters (8 hours)	1.37½	11.00
Steamfitters—Welders (8 hours)	1.37½	11.00
Steamfitters—Helpers (8 hours)	.82½	6.60
Stone Setters, soft and granite (6 hours)	1.75	10.50
Tile Setters (8 hours)	1.37½	11.00
Tile Setters—Helpers (8 hours)	.87½	7.00
Truck Crane Engineers (8 hours)	1.66%	13.33
Tractor Operators under 35 HP (8 hours)	1.50	12.00
Tractor Operators, over 35 HP (8 hours)	1.50	12.00
Auto Truck Drivers, less than 4 yds. (8 hours)	.87½	7.00
Auto Truck Drivers 4 yds. and over (8 hours)	1.00	8.00
Transit Mix Truck Drivers (8 hours)	1.00	8.00
General Teamster, 1 horse (8 hours)	.68¾	5.50
General Teamster, 2 horses (8 hours)	.75	6.00
General Teamster, 4 horses (8 hours)	.81¼	6.50
Plow Teamsters, 4 horses (8 hours)	.81¼	6.50
Scrapers Teamsters, 2 horses (8 hours)	.75	6.00
Scrapers Teamsters, 4 horses (8 hours)	.81¼	6.50
Upholsterers—Drapery & Shade Wkrs. Male (8 hrs.)	1.05	8.40
Upholsterers—Drapers & Shade Wkrs. Female	.61¼	4.90

#### SCHEDULE OF OVERTIME RATES, Unless Otherwise Specified, at Rate of Double Time.

#### TEAMSTERS: ALL OVERTIME AT RATE OF TIME AND ONE- HALF

Sheet Metal Workers: Time and one-half first hour and double time thereafter; double time Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays.

#### OVERTIME RATES FOR THE FOLLOWING CRAFTS:

DOUBLE TIME: Bricklayers; Carpet, Linoleum & Tile Workers after first two hours; Lumber Clerks and Handlers Saturday P. M. and Holidays; all Engineers; Electrical Workers; Glass Workers after first two hours; Painters Saturday, Sunday and Holidays; Roofers Sunday and Holidays; Tile Setters and Helpers; Upholstery Drapers and Shade Workers after first four hours; Iron Workers; Lathers; Plasterers; Plumbers; Sheet Metal Workers after first hour and Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays; and Steamfitters.

TIME AND ONE-HALF: Carpet, Linoleum and Tile Workers first two hours; Lumber Clerks and Handlers between 5:00 P. M. and 8:00 A. M. (double time Saturday P. M. and Holidays); Glass Workers first two hours; Painters (double time Saturday, Sunday and Holidays); Roofers (Sunday and Holidays double time); Upholstery Drapers and Shade Workers, first four hours; Teamsters; and Sheet Metal Workers first hour (double time after first hour and Saturday, Sunday and Holidays).

LABORERS, and all unskilled workmen except Apprentices, Time and one-half for first four hours after first eight hours and Saturdays 8:00 A. M., to 12:00 Noon; all time thereafter, Saturday afternoons, Sundays and Holidays included, at the rate of double time.

CARPENTERS: Time and one-half for first four hours after first eight hours. Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays at the rate of double time.

SHIFT WORK: Two or more shifts, 7 hours work, 8 hours pay. HOLIDAYS are New Year's Day, Washington's Birthday, Decoration Day, Fourth of July, Labor Day, Admission Day, Thanksgiving Day and Christmas.

The foregoing schedule of per diem wages is based upon a working day of eight (8) hours, unless otherwise specified above. The hourly wage rate prescribed hereinabove is the per diem rate divided by the number of hours constituting the working day. When less than the number of hours hereinabove specified as constituting the working day are worked, the rate of wages per day shall be proportionately reduced but the hourly rate shall remain as hereinabove stated.

All skilled labor not listed above that may be employed is to be paid not less than the union wage scale for such labor and in no event to be paid less than One Dollar and 10/100 (\$1.10) per hour.

It shall be mandatory upon the Contractor to whom the contract is awarded, and upon any subcontractor under him, to pay not less than the said specified rates to all laborers, workmen and mechanics employed by them in the execution of the contract.

Properly indentured apprentices may be employed upon this work. Such apprentices shall be indentured to the Contractor and shall be steadily employed by him and shall be paid not less than the standard wage paid to apprentices under the regulations of the trade at which he is employed. An apprentice shall be employed only at the work of the trade to which he is indentured. The ratio of apprentices employed shall not exceed one apprentice to each five journeymen regularly employed by

the contractor. The initial wage to be paid an apprentice shall be not less than twenty-five per cent (25%) of the journeymen's wage being paid and shall be increased each six months to an amount not less than fifteen per cent (15%). The definition of the term "regularly indentured apprentice", as used herein, shall be deemed to be an apprentice indentured by a group representing bona fide associations of employers and employees.

Each bid shall be made on a form to be obtained at the office of the Board of Trustees of the Niles School District of Alameda County, at the Niles School Building, Niles, California, or at the office of the Architect, JOHN J. DONOVAN, at 950 Parker Street, Berkeley, California, and must be accompanied by a certified check for five per cent (5%) of the aggregate amount of the bid, excluding alternates, made payable to the Niles School District of Alameda County, California.

The above mentioned check shall be given as a guarantee that the bidder will enter into a contract if awarded the work and will be retained by the said Niles School District as agreed and liquidated damages should the party or parties to whom the contract should be awarded fail to enter into the contract within five (5) days after notification of the award and to give the bonds required for the faithful performance of the contract or any bonds required by law.

The successful bidder will be required to furnish a labor and material bond in an amount equal to fifty per cent (50%) of the contract price and a faithful performance bond in an amount equal to one hundred per cent (100%) of the contract price, said bonds to be secured from a surety company satisfactory to the Board of Trustees of the Niles School District.

A list of such Surety companies is on file at the office of the Board of Trustees of the Niles School District at the Niles School Building, Niles, California.

Each bidder for the erection and completion of the work shall agree in his bid to purchase and to remove from said school grounds all old materials required by the plans and/or specifications for the work hereinbefore described to be removed from said building as the result of said construction and not needed in the execution of the contract proposed to be let, and shall state in his bid the amount which he will deduct from the price bid for the work as the purchase price of said old materials, and the contract will be awarded to the bidder whose net bid is the lowest after deducting the amount bid for the purchase of said old materials, provided said bidder is a responsible bidder.

The Board of Trustees reserves the right to reject any or all bids or any or all items or any or all alternatives of such bids and/or to waive any informality in a bid.

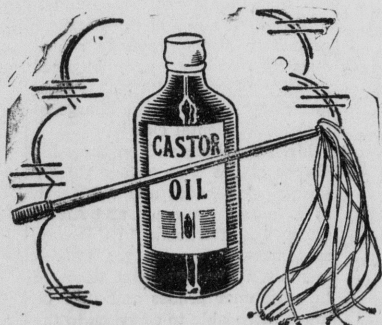
No bidder may withdraw his bid for a period of 30 days after the date set for the opening thereof.

By order of the Board of Trustees, of the Niles School District, Alameda County, Sept. 6, 1938, Niles, California, State of California.

Harry T. Tyson  
Clerk of the Board of Trustees of Niles School District of Alameda County, California.

Passed and adopted by the following called vote this 6th day of September, 1938.

AYES: TRUSTEES Harry T. Tyson, Thos. B. Murphy  
NOES: TRUSTEES None  
ABSENT TRUSTEES Joseph D. Gomes (Sept. 9, 1938)



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**Newark Newsettes****N. F. D. TO HAVE****BARBECUE**

The Newark Fire Department will hold their regular meeting on Monday evening at Pashote's club house. A barbecued goat, donated by A. L. Silva, will be served after the meeting of both the Newark Fire Department and the Ladies Auxiliary. George May, a new member, will be initiated that evening.

**COUPLE HAVE****RECEPTION**

Ed Bymiller and Winnie Bertleson were married on Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Beck. A reception was held at Silva's hall on Saturday evening. The evening was spent in dancing. Refreshments were served.

**STOVE MOUNTERS****WIN 3rd PRIZE**

The Stove Mounters Union of Newark won third prize in the

Labor Day parade at San Francisco. Many Newark people attended and marched in the parade.

**MRS. FLAHERTY**  
**ENTERTAINED GUESTS**

Mrs. Mary Flaherty had as her guests over the week end her cousin, William Frater, and Elise Haley both of San Francisco, a friend, Mrs. Ruth Hammond, arrived from Los Angeles Monday. All returned home Monday evening.

**GROUP VISITS****MRS. LUND**

Mrs. Frank Sayles accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Brown to Grants Pass, Oregon to visit Mrs. Sayles daughter, Mrs. Myrtle Lund.

**MUSICK HOME****FROM SHASTA**

Eph Musick has returned home after spending a few days in Shasta County.

**MRS. SCOTT HOME****FROM MONTANA**

Mrs. Sam Scott and children have returned home after spending the summer with her parents in Montana. Her mother returned with her for a visit.

**BLUEBIRD'S TO****HOLD DANCE**

The Bluebird Club of Newark will hold their annual ball at Swiss Park on October 29, for the benefit of the Christmas tree party at the Newark Grammar School in December.

**NORDVIKS VISIT****DE VRIES**

Mr. and Mrs. Thor Nordvik spent the holidays in Fresno visiting Mrs. Nordvik's parents, Mr. and Mrs. De Vries.

**SPEND WEEK END****IN STOCKTON**

Mrs. Frank Katzer and son, Bill, and Ivor Paulsen spent the week end visiting friends in Stockton.

**SPEND HOLIDAYS****AT CLEAR LAKE**

Mr. and Mrs. Doc Bolyard and Darlene, Mrs. Clara Williams and Betty Jane Steinhoff spent the holidays at Clear Lake.

**MRS. PERRY****GETTING ALONG FINE**

Mrs. Joe Perry, who is now staying with her daughter, Mrs. Patrick Francis in Centerville, is getting along nicely after a recent operation.

**STOVE MOUNTERS****TO HOLD DANCE**

The Stove Mounters Union Local No. 61 of Newark will hold their annual Ball at Swiss Park on October 15.

**MRS. MACHADO****QUITE ILL**

Mrs. Mary Machado has been confined to her bed for several weeks as she is very ill.

**GROUP ATTEND****STATE FAIR**

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Weber and daughter, Bernice, Mrs. Edna Darrow and Karl Nordvik attended the State Fair in Sacramento on last Monday, Labor Day.

**AT FELTON****OVER HOLIDAYS**

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Pashote and son, Eugene, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pashote and son, Donald, spent the holidays at Felton Acres at the

summer home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jason in the Santa Cruz mountains.

**JUNIOR CHAMBER**  
**PLANS DANCE**

The Newark Junior Chamber of Commerce will hold their annual dance at Swiss Park on October 1.

**GYGAXS AT****PARADISE PARK**

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gygax and son, Frank, Lucille Gygax and Charles Champion, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gygax Jr. of Oakland spent the holidays at their summer home at Paradise Park.

**COTTONS HOME****FROM BASS LAKE**

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cotton returned home Friday evening after a two weeks' vacation at Bass Lake.

**SPEND HOLIDAYS****FISHING**

Mr. and Mrs. Creighton of San Diego visited in Newark with friends on last Tuesday.

**WILSONS BACK****FROM L. A.**

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wilson returned Monday from Los Angeles from a week's vacation.

**MAKES TRIP****TO L. A.**

Mrs. Wyatt left for Los Angeles on last Friday with her nephew, Mr. Morgan of San Jose, and returned Monday evening.

**MARSHALL GETTING****ALONG FINE**

Henry Marshall, Jr. is getting along fine, after being sick with the German measles for a week.

**OLIVERS VISIT****MARSHALLS**

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Oliver and son, Eugene, of Oakland visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Marshall on Labor Day.

**BOYS MARCH****IN PARADE**

Melvin Vargas, Arthur Martin, and John Wilson spent Labor Day in San Francisco marching in the Labor Day parade.

**GROUP AT****FOREST LAKE**

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Silva, Mr. and Mrs. Louie Calderia and daughter, Loretta, spent the holidays at Forest Lake.

**HOME FROM****FISHING TRIP**

Tony Orland returned home on Monday from a week end fishing trip at Modesto. A record catch of black bass was caught.

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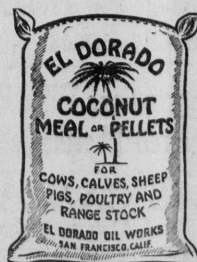
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**RAMOS LOSES IN****2nd ROUND**

Willie Ramos of Newark fought Miles of Livermore on last Tuesday evening at the San Jose auditorium. The fight was called in the second round, and Miles won by a technical knockout.

**Decoto Doings****VISIT RELATIVES****AT CARMEL**

Mrs. Alwin Seales and son, Harry, spent a few days with relatives in Carmel.

**GUEST HERE****ON FRIDAY**

Miss Christina Anderson visited with friends here on Friday.

**ENJOY PLAY****AT OAKLAND**

Mrs. Frank Dutra and daughters, Lena and Marie, attended the Portuguese play at the Oakland auditorium on Sunday evening.

**WEEK END****IN MONTEREY**

Mrs. Frank Janeiro and family spent the week end in Monterey.

**TAKE PART IN****LABOR PARADE**

A large number of foundry workers from Decoto participated in the parade held in San Francisco.

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## Niles Notes

## CHOIR PRACTICE IS HELD

The first choir practice of the fall season was held by young people of the Niles Congregational Church last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Lindsay. Officers of the Youth Fellowship held a meeting prior to the practice.

## RETURNS TO WASHINGTON

Miss Eula Thomas of Washington, D. C. has returned East after spending a month at the Hotel Belvoir.

## HUNTING TRIP TO PASO ROBLES

Mr. and Mrs. George Bonde and son spent the week end at Paso Robles, the "two Georges" spending the time hunting.

## F. V. JONES IMPROVING

F. V. Jones, who has been confined to his bed this week with a serious illness, is reported much improved but is not able to see company.

## SPEND HOLIDAYS IN MOUNTAINS

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Duffey spent the holidays at their cabin in the Santa Cruz mountains.

## VISIT AT ANGELS CAMP

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Griffin spent the holidays at Sonora and Angels Camp.

## IS VISITOR AT FAIR

Miss Marjorie Griffin visited the State Fair at Sacramento with friends this past week end.

## VISITORS AT MITTE HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Morrison Green spent the recent holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mitte.

## WILL VISIT PITT RIVER

Mr. and Mrs. Russel Ross and Mr. and Mrs. Fred McGraw will spend a two weeks' vacation at Pitt River. They will leave Sunday.

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## FRESNO VISITOR AT MITTE HOME

Patricia Dickey of Fresno has been spending two weeks with her aunt, Mrs. Fred Mitte. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Dickey, were here for the week end.

## WILL ENTERTAIN AT DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Walpert will entertain a group of friends at dinner and cards at the Castlewood Country Club.

## VISIT STATE FAIR OVER WEEK END

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Avilla, Miss Lucile Alves and Ruel Brown visited the State Fair at Sacramento this past week end.

## VISIT AT BOULDER DAM

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Avilla, Lucile Alves and Ruel Brown recently enjoyed a trip to Boulder Dam, Santa Barbara, San Diego, Los Angeles and other points South.

## ENTERTAIN AT DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McGowan entertained 12 friends at dinner last Saturday night.

## RETURN FROM FEATHER RIVER

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nelson have returned from a vacation spent at Feather River Canyon.

## VISITORS AT NELSON HOME

Mr. and Mrs. John Marshall and son of Oakland are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nelson.

## FAMILY PARTY GIVEN TONIGHT

A family party is being held at the Fred Nelson home tonight in honor of Mrs. Nelson's nephew, Kenneth Jeter of Oakland and his bride from Kansas City. Fourteen will be present.

## LEAVES FOR JUNIOR COLLEGE

Miss Winifred Bendel left Monday to enroll as a student at the Junior College of the College of the Pacific at Stockton. She and her mother, Mrs. Roland Bendel, were in Stockton Saturday to make arrangements. Miss Bendel will reside with her aunt.

## OAKLAND GUEST IN NILES

Miss Joy Allen of Oakland was a week end guest of Miss Margaret Williamson.

## MASONIC HOME CASE CONTINUED

The case of Charles Beal, charged with battery by E. J. Hazard, librarian at the Masonic Home, was continued to Oct. 14, due to continued illness of witnesses, and

will be heard in the Niles Justice Court.

## VISIT AT SANTA CRUZ

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Franklin spent the holidays at Santa Cruz.

## VISIT IN SAN FRANCISCO

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Econome spent Sunday in San Francisco.

## SPEND WEEK END IN MOUNTAINS

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Martenstein spent the week end at their cabin at Paradise Park.

## SON BORN TO HURLEYS

A six-pound boy, who is to bear the name of Michael, was born to Mr. and Mrs. William Hurley at the Peralta Hospital last Thursday.

## NEW HOME IN SACRAMENTO

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Green have established their new home at 2423 L st., Sacramento, after their recent marriage.

## SPEND HOLIDAYS AT MONTEREY

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Ellsworth spent the Labor Day holidays at Monterey.

## HAS POSITION IN PHONE OFFICE

Miss Barbara Straub has a position in the Niles office of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company.

## MAKE HOLIDAY MOTOR TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Martin motored to Feather River, Lake Tahoe and Nevada City during the recent holidays.

## VISIT AT CLEAR LAKE

Dr. and Mrs. E. C. Grau spent the Labor Day holidays at Clear Lake.

## SPEND HOLIDAYS AT ST. HELENA

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Wilder and Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Walpert spent the holidays at St. Helena.

## PETSCHES ON VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Petsche are spending a week at Lake Almanor near Quincy. Mrs. Petsche returned from Kansas Thursday of last week.

## SPEND HOLIDAYS AT WOODSIDE

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Snell spent the holidays at Woodside.

## NEWLYWEDS ARE ENTERTAINED

Mr. and Mrs. T. Pugmire of Bradford Court Friday entertained their son, Merle, and his new bride, the former Miss Farrell Wood of Salt Lake City, at a kitchen shower. About 25 guests were present and the evening was spent in playing whoopee. At a late hour cake and ice cream were enjoyed.

## BYRON VISITORS SPEND WEEK

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Krumland and son, Roy, of Byron visited with Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Bradford for about a week. Mrs. Krumland and Mrs. Bradford are sisters. Sunday was enjoyed at Golden Gate Park.

## OAKLAND GUESTS ARE FETED

Mr. and Mrs. W. Hutto of Bradford Court entertained Mrs. Hutto's sister, Mrs. Taylor, and two daughters; their grandchildren of Oakland; Mr. and Mrs. R. Emmerson and two children and Mr. and Mrs. B. Johnson.

## ATTEND REBEKAH MEETING

Mrs. Lucetta B. Duffey and Mrs. Ivy W. Cull attended the district meeting held in the hall of Golden Link Rebekah Lodge on Wednesday afternoon, Aug. 31. Mrs. Georgia Benedict, District Deputy President of District No. 7 was in charge of the meeting, and Mrs. Essie K. Murray of Bakersfield,

president of the Rebekah Assembly, was the honored guest.

## Centerville Jots

## VISIT FEATHER RIVER CANYON

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Pimentel, Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Joseph and Miss Irene Roderick spent the holidays at Lassen Park and Feather River Canyon.

## K. C. BAND IN DEMAND

Vincent Bettencourt and his haywire band of the Centerville Council of the Knights of Columbus will play at a testimonial meeting in San Francisco next Tuesday night for Edward Molkenbuh, State Deputy. Fifteen will attend from here with Grand Knight M. F. Silva heading the party. On the 20th, the band will play at the annual St. Mary's football night planned by the Oakland Council.

## COLUMBUS DAY DATE SET

The Columbus Day banquet of the Knights of Columbus will be served at the Athens Club in Oakland on Oct. 9. Degree work will precede the banquet at the Pythian Castle. At 11 a. m., mass will be said at the St. Francis deSales Church. A large delegation from Centerville will attend.

## NATIVE SONS AT VALLEJO

President Al Monese will head a delegation of 25 members of the Washington Parlor of Native Sons at the Admission Day celebration at Vallejo today.

## CALLERS COME BY PLANE

Friends from Hollister of George Rodriguez on Central avenue "dropped in" to call on him Labor Day. Their plane landed near the Norris ranch.

## BAKERSFIELD GUESTS HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Miguel Delaveaga of Bakersfield spent the holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Garret Norris. Mrs. Delaveaga has been recently promoted to supervising librarian at Bakersfield.

## MILLERS AT CLEAR LAKE

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Miller and family of Centerville, Don Lemos and Myrtle Lemos of Alvarado spent the holidays at Santa Rosa and Clear Lake.

## SUPPER CLUB TO HAVE PARTY

The Centerville Supper Club will have dinner in San Francisco on Sept. 24 and will attend a performance of Tallulah Bankhead in "I Am Different." Twenty will be in the party. Mrs. George Emerson is chairman of arrangements.

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## HOLIDAYS AT CABIN

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## SAN MATEO FOLK HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Buford McWhirter and son of San Mateo spent the holidays at the home of Dr. and Mrs. W. L. McWhirter.

## DRAMA SECTION WILL MEET

Mrs. R. L. Pond will entertain the Drama Section of the Country Club of Washington Township at her home on Friday, Sept. 16, at 1:30 o'clock.

## BIRTHDAY CLUB WILL MEET

The Centerville Birthday Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Eric Bergstrom in San Jose on Wednesday, Sept. 21. Mrs. George Coit will be guest of honor.

## VISITS STATE FAIR

Miss Jean Coit visited the State Fair at Sacramento with friends on Monday.

## HAS GUEST FROM FRESNO

Miss Frances Earskin of Fresno and Mrs. Brown of Los Angeles visited with Miss Edith Bergmann on Labor Day.

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(but only their own employer).

BUT NOBODY CAN —

interfere with free use of the highways and wharves by farmers or anyone else.

NOBODY CAN carry on MASS picketing.

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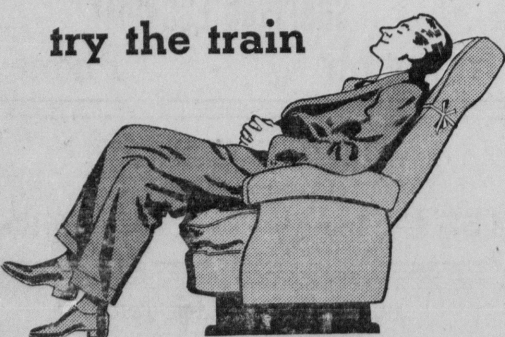
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